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1. PTO Return Postcard Receipt
2. TRANSMITTAL LETTER
3. PATENT APPLICATION
4. DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

This application is on behalf of a small entity.

This application is a continuation-in-part from United States Patent Application No. 09/485321, titled "PRODRUGS AND CONJUGATES OF THIOL- AND SELENOL-CONTAINING COMPOUNDS AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF" nationalized from from PCT/US98/16324 filed August 6, 1998, which claimed priority to United States Provisional Patent Application 60/055,019, filed August 7, 1997.

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